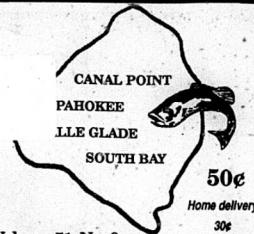




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News Briefs

School to have chili supper

Kathryn E. Cunningham/Canal Point Elementary School will be having their Fifth Annual Chili Supper on March 29, from 4 to 7 p.m. in the school cafeteria.

Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for children. The proceeds will go to benefit the school's music department. During the evening, the students will be performing for participant's entertainment.

Financial aid workshop planned

The student financial aid office of Palm Beach Community College will hold a workshop to provide assistance in completing the 1994-financial aid application. The workshop will be held Tuesday, March 29, from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Palm Beach Community College Glades Campus in room 122. They will also meet Tuesday, April 26, from 1 to 3 p.m. Those interested should bring their 1993 U.S. Income Tax Return and other records of money earned in 1993.

HIPPY Parent

Meeting to be held The HIPPY (Home Instruction for Preschool Youngsters) program of the South Bay community will have a parent meeting Thursday, March 24, at the Villa Lago Childcare Center. The meeting will begin at 6:45 p.m. There will be a spaghetti buffet for parents. The guest speaker for the evening will be Dr. Olga Rossa, pediatrician from Nemours Children's Clinic, South Bay. Transportation arrangements and childcare will be provided if necessary. For more information, please contact Judith McInnes at Rosenwald Elementary School office.

Story hour at local libraries

The Louis V. York Branch Library, 525 Bacon Point Rd., Paehokee, will hold children story hours throughout the year. Pre-registration is required. Call 924-5928 for dates, times and more information. The Belle Glade Branch will also offer story hours throughout the year. Call the library for more information. Also offering story hours is the Clarence E. Anthony Branch Library, South Bay. For information, please call 992-9383.

Workshop held for job seekers

Employability Skills will be addressed Friday, March 25, the Florida Department of Labor, 553 S.W. 16th St. The workshop will speak on training/education, interviewing techniques, community services, government services, labor market information and job applications. Call 992-1310 for more information.

Fight leads to shooting; one man shot to death

Tammy Jackson
Staff Reporter

An altercation which escalated into a fight left one man dead and another wounded Sunday, March 20, at South Shore Labor Village.

According to Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department reports, Uriel Minott and Willie Brown

became involved in an altercation which transformed into a fight. Both men were separated. The fight resumed almost immediately.

Reports state Minott went home and armed himself with a cane knife. Brown armed himself with a mop handle.

Minott attacked Brown with the cane knife cutting him in several places and severely cutting one of Brown's hands.

Minot was escorted to his house (South Shore Village) by John Rivers. As Mr. Rivers was exiting Minot's residence, according to reports, Brown entered the doorway and fired a small caliber handgun through the door at Minot.

Reports state Mr. Rivers then heard several shots coming from inside the house.

Police say Minott appeared to have died from gunshot wounds.

Brown was taken to Palms West Hospital where he is listed in serious condition. Injuries to his hand will require extensive surgery.

No charges have been filed against Brown pending further investigation and review by the State Attorney's Office.

Saturday is "I Love Pahokee"

I Love Pahokee Day is this Saturday, beginning at 11:30 a.m. with a dedication of the city's marina by the Honorable Addie L. Greene, Florida House of Representatives.

There will be a "Blessing of the Fleet" by Father John Maricantante of St. Mary Catholic Church followed by the dedication of the new Dis-

trict Office of Rep. Greene after the ceremonies.

The dedication of Rep. Greene's office will be adjacent to the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce.

A fund raising barbecue,

sponsored by the chamber, will be held immediately following the ceremony. For more information call 924-5579.

Sorority sponsors 14th annual Afro Arts Festival

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Staff Reporter

The Zeta Phi Beta Sorority sponsored the 14th Festival of Afro Arts Saturday, March 19, at the Lake Shore Park. Though the heat of the sun beamed on spectators, exhibitors and guest speakers, the citizens of Belle Glade and surrounding communities gathered in support of achievements African-American have made. The events got under way with an Afro Arts Pageant that was held Wednesday, March 16, in the Lake Shore Middle School Gymnasium. The pageant consisted of girls ranging in ages from 5-14.

A parade was held Saturday morning. Participants walked down Main Street and Avenue E showing grace and spirit. Following the parade, events began at Lake Shore Park. The guest speaker for the day was Richard Ramsey, principal at Lake Shore Middle School. Mr. Ramsey spoke on

the needs of the children. He said parents need to be good role models. He said parents need to become involved in their children's lives. He told the crowd "If our kids lose, we lose."

Mr. Ramsey apologized to the youths for the condition the world is in today. He said "things are the way they are because adults let them be that way."

He also said people need to read and learn who they are and where they came from. "Till you can understand who you are, you will always be confused," he said.

Mr. Ramsey urged youths to set goals for themselves. He said if people do not have goals, they do not have desires. He said, "If you have no hope, there's no future." Speaking sternly to the youths, Mr. Ramsey said "people died and blood was shed so you can wear Starter jackets and Air

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Seeing blue...Belle Glade residents should have received new blue recycling bins this week. The city is expanding its recycling effort to include magazines, catalogs, brown paper bags, corrugated board boxes, milk and juice cartons, drink boxes and aluminum foil and pie plates. Shown from left are Lori Hart, sanitation secretary, Jennie Morales, secretary, and Maritza Navarro, administrative secretary of public works.

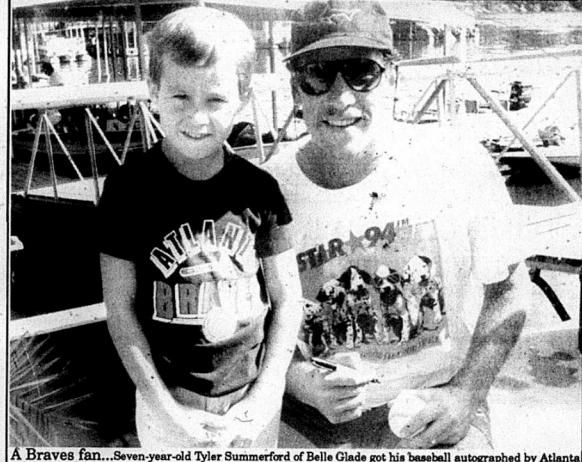
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A Braves fan...Seven-year-old Tyler Summerford of Belle Glade got his baseball autographed by Atlanta Braves Pitcher John Smoltz Monday afternoon. Several players were in town for a day of relaxation and fishing on the "Big O" before enjoying a fish fry at the Marina. This is the fifth year team members have been invited to the area to enjoy Glades hospitality provided by the City of Belle Glade and local guides.

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Albert Dowdell named lieutenant during roast in his honor

Tammy Jackson
Staff Reporter

Glades-area residents recently rallied together to show their appreciation and support for a lifetime Belle Glade resident. Albert Dowdell, 39, was honored with a roast that highlighted his accomplishments and services he has performed for the City of Belle Glade. The event was spearheaded by Mr. Dowdell's longtime friend Mattie Ray.

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Albert Dowdell said, "The event was very emotional." He said he is happy to know people put their faith and trust in him. "Belle is my home, my life," he said. "All I am, I owe to this com-

munity."

The Solid Waste Authority of Palm Beach (SWA) is bringing more recycling capabilities to the Glades.

SWA's been working for over a year to bring new blue recycling bins and educational materials explaining what new items can now be recycled.

This month, city residents in Belle Glade, Pahokee, South Bay and Canal Point will be receiving the blue bins. In the yellow bins, residents have been recycling newspapers and glass, plastics with a 1 or 2 and aluminum cans.

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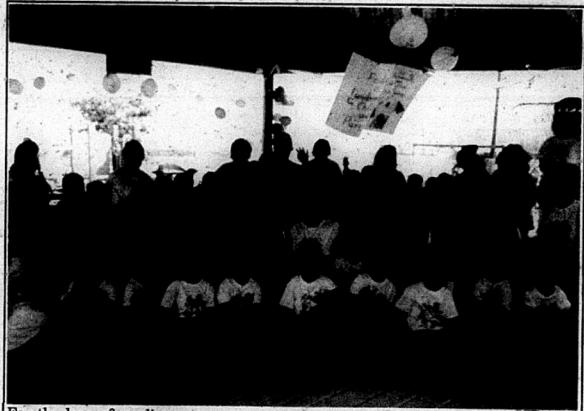
The program is also open in

the unincorporated areas of the county and 37 cities, towns, and villages, affecting more than 400,000 households.

The program is offered as part of the SWA's recycling and waste reduction goals of 50 percent, as set by the SWA governing board at the encouragement of the county's 37 cities, villages and towns.

In 1988, the Florida legislature, through the Solid Waste Management Act, mandated that each of the state's 67 counties reduce the amount of waste going into the landfills by 40 percent by December 1994. Palm Beach County met that goal in 1992. The SWA governing board, wanting to provide the state with solid waste management leadership, set county-wide 50 percent recycling and waste reduction goals by 1998.

Advanced recycling is coming to town



For the love of reading...Children at the East Coast Migrant Head Start (Shannon Center) were treated to free books, thanks to the RIF (Reading is Fundamental) program. Shown are the 2 through 5-year-old children at A Duda and Sons camp with their teachers.

It was a "zoo" at Shannon's Head Start

Children in the East Coast Migrant Head Start program at Shannon Center (A Duda), had a field day last Tuesday. The theme was "a day at the zoo" and children, parents, and staff got to see different animals they might see at a zoo.

The ceramic, stuffed, or paper animals allowed the migrant children, many who have never been to the zoo, to see what various animals look like. They were given fake money to purchase their favorite animal and were also given books on animals.

The children participated in a picnic luncheon outside with their animal friends after several events. The books were distributed by Irene Figueroa, the director of the center. This activity was part of the RIF (Reading is Fundamental) program and was put together by the Education Coordinator Frances Ramirez, Health Coordinator Lois Monroe, Social Service M. Elena Sandoval, and the Assistant Director Flora Pacheco and staff.

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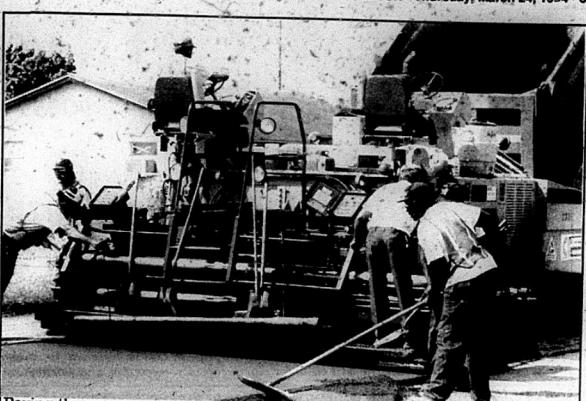
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Paving the way...Community Asphalt has finished repaving many streets in the Belle Glade area, but the City of Belle Glade street department is now going back and doing the touch-up work to the shoulders. Last year, the city spent \$50,000 on street repairs, this year, the budget was increased to \$250,000, allowing for more streets to be repaved. Community Asphalt workers are shown working recently at S.W. Avenue I.

Humanities grant writing workshop is free and open to the public

The Florida Humanities Council (FHC) invites Glades residents to find out how to apply for grants and sponsor humanities programs in Florida communities. The workshop will be held on Thursday, April 7, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m., in the meeting room of the Jupiter Branch Library, 705 Military Trail, Jupiter.

The workshop will be free and open to members of all non-profit organizations interested in having a public humanities program. Joan

Bragginton, program director, will discuss applying for grants and free programs from the FHC Resource Center.

No reservations are required. For additional information, call Jona Bragginton at 813-272-3473.



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Editor's note: Local organizations are planning a city-wide clean up day for sometime early summer. We understand this will be done in Belle Glade, Pahokee, and South Bay. We urge everyone to participate and help clean up our towns.

Crimestoppers

Crime Stoppers of Palm Beach County, Inc. is asking for your help in locating Lawrence Allen Hall, who is wanted for violation of parole on charges of grand theft, burglary and burglary of a dwelling. Hall also goes by the names Chris Palcini and Scott Steel.

Hall is 24 years old. His last known address was 4963 Clinton Road, Lake Worth.

He is 6 feet tall, weighing 175 pounds. He has blonde hair and blue eyes and has a scar on his left leg and a tattoo on his left arm. His Social Security number is 530-62-1110. His last known occupation was as a laborer. He is also wanted for failure to appear on charges of driving with a suspended driver's license. His warrant was active as of March 15, 1994.

If you know the whereabouts of Hall, or anyone involved in a serious crime, call Crime Stoppers, 1-800-458-8477.



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"I still say Belle Glade needs a traffic light on South Main Street in front of Winn Dixie!"

Guest commentary

By Bolley "Bo" Johnson, Speaker of the Florida House of Representatives

Members of the House of Representatives continued their efforts to keep violent offenders off our streets for longer periods of time. During the sixth week of session, House members gave their initial approval to a plan that makes room in state prisons for up to another 1,200 criminals. This, along with the construction of 14,000 new prison beds planned for in next year's budget, will lengthen the time convicts remain behind bars.

This construction follows several steps lawmakers have taken over the last two years to restrict which inmates can earn gain time for good behavior and how much they can earn. Legislators learned last week that their work is proving successful. In June of 1992, Florida's prisoners served only 34 percent of their sentences. That increased to nearly 42 percent last month. And the numbers are even better for violent criminals. In June 1992, dangerous offenders served only 37 percent of their sentences; they now serve up to 53 percent.

Legislators are not content with those figures and are finding solutions to ensure that convicted criminals remain behind bars for the entire term of their sentences.

Nearly 200 Florida minority students would receive scholarships for law school under a bill approved by the full House during the sixth week of session. The House budget proposal for next year also includes \$1.4 million to fund the enrollment of the students in independent or public law schools in the state. The legislation adds a legal education with the exception of math and science education. Each award provides an annual stipend of \$11,000 and up to \$5,000 per year in tuition and fees. This pro-

gram has been successful in encouraging minority students to enter graduate programs in areas with which they have traditionally been under represented.

Voter registration becomes easier thanks to legislation passed by House members. House Bill 2323 brings Florida's voter registration into compliance with the National Voter Registration Act of 1993.

Under the provisions of this bill, registrations are allowed by mail and applications will be available at many locations throughout the state. Applicants may pick up a uniform statewide voter registration application, fill out the application and mail it to the supervisor of elections.

The application form will be prescribed by the Department of State and will include the oath required by the Constitution, will specify each eligibility requirement to register (age, citizenship and residency) and will indicate the penalty for false swearing on a voter registration application. No notarization or witnessing of the application is required.

In addition to registration by mail, an application for renewing a driver's license or identification card will be asked if he would like to register to vote or to update an existing voter registration. A voter registration application will be mailed with driver's license renewal extension application notices.

Eligible citizens wishing to register to vote may also sign up at state agencies that provide public assistance (food stamps, medicaid, WIC and AFDC programs), offices that serve persons with disabilities, centers for independent living, public libraries and marriage license offices.

Ask Dr. Boltson

Dr. David Boltson is the associate director of the Western Palm Beach County Mental Health Clinic in Belle Glade, and is a licensed psychologist in private practice in Lake Worth.

involve knowledge or techniques.

In the aforementioned stock market example, people typically let fear or greed overtake (what should be their) skillful knowledge that the market continually cycles down and up. When it comes to relationships, skillful communications will help you better understand and learn to please your potential partner.

FAITH - not blind faith or naive faith - but positive, enlightened faith. Whether it is faith in God, in yourself, or in the potential for goodness in others; faith can help motivate you and help you persevere without giving up.

You can never say when that certain someone or something will come along to give you the lift you need. Not only does this principle apply to finding a job or mate - a financial analyst told me that most people lose money in the stock market by bailing out when prices drop. Such people have lost faith that the market will eventually rebound upwards as it always (historically) has. They give up too soon.

EFFORT - Skillful life techniques can not be purchased and are not inherited. Rather, it is through diligence, observation, and effort that people can develop the skills to succeed in arenas that are important to them. Colonel Sanders showed faith, skill and effort in starting his franchise, Kentucky Fried Chicken. He believed through skillful means, that he (in his 60s) had developed a good chicken recipe. He offered to sell it to numerous restaurants and was turned down by them all. Finally he convinced a bank to give him a small loan and the rest is chicken history. Of course, many would-be restaurateurs with equally (or more) tasty food, go bankrupt annually. The last necessary factor for success is luck.

LUCK - If you were not born with humility, life will soon

teach it to you. It is important to recognize that factors outside of your control can affect your life success notwithstanding your faith, skill and effort. Why does one person succeed, while another fails? There is a lot to be said for being in the right place at the right time.

Many Belle Glade store owners were quite successful 10 years ago. Now, with the exodus of the migrant workers, new skillful business strategies must be developed to survive.

Of all the aforementioned elements that are necessary for success, it is ironic that most folks sit on their duffs and wait for their luck to change. People buy lottery tickets much more often than they try to develop new vocational skills.

You can not directly change your luck; but you can daily improve your faith, skills, and efforts towards change.

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Editor's note: Local organizations are planning a city-wide clean up day for sometime early summer. We understand this will be done in Belle Glade, Pahokee, and South Bay. We urge everyone to participate and help clean up our towns.

Crime Stoppers of Palm Beach County, Inc. is asking for your help in locating Lawrence Allen Hall, who is wanted for violation of parole on charges of grand theft, burglary and burglary of a dwelling. Hall also goes by the names Chris Palicin and Scott Steel.

Hall is 24 years old. His last known address was 4963 Clinton Road, Lake Worth. He is 6 feet tall, weighing 175 pounds. He has blonde hair and blue eyes and has a scar on his left leg and a tattoo on his left arm. His Social Security number is 530-62-1110. His last known occupation was as a laborer. He is also wanted for failure to appear on charges of driving with a suspended driver's license. His warrant was active as of March 15, 1994.

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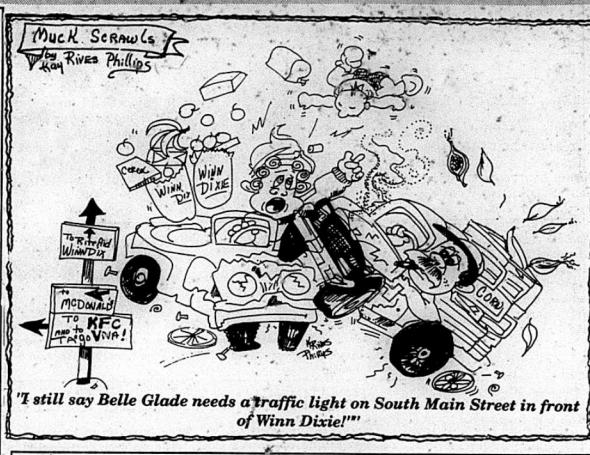
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"I still say Belle Glade needs a traffic light on South Main Street in front of Winn Dixie!"

Guest commentary

By Bolley "Bo" Johnson, Speaker of the Florida House of Representatives

Members of the House of Representatives continue their efforts to keep violent offenders off our streets for longer periods of time. During the sixth week of session, House members gave their initial approval to a plan that makes room in state prisons for up to another 1,200 criminals. This, along with the construction of 14,000 new prison beds planned for in next year's budget, will lengthen the time convicts remain behind bars.

This construction follows several steps lawmakers have taken over the last two years to restrict which inmates can earn gain time for good behavior and how much they can earn. Legislators learned last week that their work is proving successful. In June of 1992, Florida's prisoners served only 34 percent of their sentences. That increased to nearly 42 percent last month. And the numbers are even better for violent criminals. In June 1992, dangerous offenders served only 37 percent of their sentences; they now serve up to 53 percent.

Legislators are not content with those figures and are finding solutions to ensure that convicted criminals remain behind bars for the entire term of their sentences.

Nearly 200 Florida minority students would receive scholarships for law school under a bill approved by the full House during the sixth week of session. The House budget proposal for next year also includes \$1.4 million to fund the enrollment of the students in independent or public law schools in the state. The legislation adds a legal education with the exception of math and science education. Each award provides an annual stipend of \$11,000 and up to \$5,000 per year in tuition and fees. This program has been successful in encouraging minority students to enter graduate programs in areas with which they have traditionally been underrepresented.

Voter registration becomes easier thanks to legislation passed by House members. House Bill 2325 brings Florida's voter registration into compliance with the National Voter Registration Act of 1993.

Under the provisions of this bill, registrations are allowed by mail and applications will be available at many locations throughout the state. Applicants may pick up a uniform statewide voter registration application, fill out the application and mail it to the supervisor of elections.

The application form will be prescribed by the Department of State and will include the oath required by the Constitution, will specify each eligibility requirement to register (age, citizenship and residency) and will indicate the penalty for false swearing on a voter registration application. No notarization or witnessing of the application is required.

In addition to registration by mail, an applicant applying for or renewing a driver's license or identification card will be asked if he would like to register to vote or to update an existing voter registration. A voter registration application will be mailed with driver's license renewal extension application notices.

Eligible citizens wishing to register to vote may also sign up at state agencies that provide public assistance (food stamps, medicaid, WIC and AFDC programs), offices that serve persons with disabilities, centers for independent living, public libraries and marriage license offices.



Ask Dr. Boltson

Dr. David Boltson is the associate director of the Western Palm Beach County Mental Health Clinic in Belle Glade, and a licensed psychologist in private practice in Lake Worth.

involve knowledge or techniques.

In the aforementioned stock market example, people typically let fear or greed overtake (what should be their) skillful knowledge that the market continually cycles down and up. When it comes to relationships, skillful communications will help you better understand and learn to please your potential partner.

EFFORT - Skillful life techniques cannot be purchased and are not inherited. Rather, it is through diligence, observation, and effort that people can develop the skills to succeed in arenas that are important to them. Colonel Sanders showed faith, skill and effort in starting his franchise, Kentucky Fried Chicken. He believed through skillful means, that he (in his 60s) had developed a good chicken recipe. He offered to sell it to numerous restaurants and was turned down by them all. Finally he convinced a bank to give him a small loan and the rest is chicken history. Of course, many would-be restaurants with equally (or more) tasty food, go bankrupt annually. The last necessary factor for success is luck.

You can not directly change your luck; but you can daily improve your faith, skills, and efforts towards change.

If you would like to anonymously inquire about issues regarding yourself or your acquaintances, you may do so by writing to Dr. Boltson at:

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How to succeed...

In almost every aspect of living, a combination of necessary conditions are required to achieve your goals. Whether you are seeking a mate, a job, or a better place to live, the following will help you realize your dreams:

FAITH - not blind faith or naive faith - but positive, enlightened faith. Whether it is faith in God, in yourself, or in the potential for goodness in others; faith can help motivate you and help you persevere without giving up.

You can never say when that certain someone or something will come along to give you the lift you need. Not only does this principle apply to finding a job or mate; a financial analyst told me that most people lose money in the stock market by bailing out when prices drop. Such people have lost faith that the market will eventually rebound upwards as it always (historically) has. They give up too soon.

SKILL - is obviously a required element for all who succeed in living. Skill can

teach it to you. It is important to recognize that factors outside of your control can affect your life success notwithstanding your faith, skill and effort. Why does one person succeed, while another fails? There is a lot to be said for being in the right place at the right time.

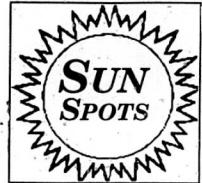
Many Belle Glade store owners were quite successful 10 years ago. Now with the exodus of the migrant workers, new skillful business strategies must be developed to survive.

Of all the aforementioned elements that are necessary for success, it is ironic that most folks sit on their duffs and wait for their luck to change. People buy lottery tickets much more often than they try to develop new vocational skills.

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Christian Concert. A "Robin Waggoner and Friends" concert will be Saturday, March 26, at 7 p.m. at the First Baptist Church, Belle Glade.

Community members are encouraged to bring their family and friends for a night of Christian music.

GDS Golf Tournament

Glades Day School is hosting a Scramble Golf Tournament this Saturday, March 19, at the City of Belle Glade's golf course. Those interested should register at the Country Club at 8:30 a.m. the day of the tournament or call the Pro Shop in advance at 996-6605. Tee time is 9 a.m.

Free hot dogs, hamburgers and sodas will be available for participants.

Easter Cantata planned at Methodist Church

The Community United Methodist Church Chancel Choir will present an Easter Cantata entitled "It Took a Miracle," by John W. Peterson.

Featured soloists are Milton Carpenter, Phil Dulany, Rachel Hollingsworth, Ken Lutz, Carol Schmidt and Becky Watson.

Narration will be by Rev. Don McMillan. The Choral Director is Carol Schmidt and piano accompanist is Karen Corbin.

This Easter production will be presented March 27, at 7:30 p.m. at 401 Southwest First Street, Belle Glade.

The public is invited.

Local artists needed

Building Blocks is planning a fashion show and dinner dance on Friday, May 6. They need local artists to help

design the cover of their program. The art theme is "African Fashions" and the theme of the event is "Les Affaire African Extravaganza."

The staff at Building Blocks is asking local artists to enter the contest to design the front cover of the program by submitting a pen and ink drawing on 8 1/2 by 11 (letter size) white paper and submitting their entry no later than April 4. The winner will be awarded a \$50 cash prize at the May 6 event.

For more information, call Building Blocks at 996-3889 and ask for Jane Chee, Jane Linder or Barbara Spencer-Swaby.

GDS barbecue

Glades Day School is sponsoring a barbecue chicken dinner sale to be held from 5 to 7 p.m. Friday, March 25, at the school's cafeteria. Barbecue chicken with all the trimmings will be served.

Tickets are \$6 each and are available from baseball and softball athletes or by calling the high school office at 996-6769.

Chapter 1 Parent

Advisory Council meeting

Testing time is coming soon. A workshop entitled "Test Taking Strategies" will be held on Thursday, March 24, at Gove Elementary in Belle Glade. Additionally, Chapter 1 Parent Advisory Council Meeting and election of officers for the 1994-95 season will be held.

For further information or directions to the school, please call Marilyn F. Kahle at 434-8155 or toll free at 930-8402, extension 48155.

Delta State University teacher Johanna Jacks of Belle Glade, an education major at Delta State University, is taking part in a student teacher assignment during the spring semester.

Student teaching provides experience in actual classroom situations and is a requirement for a degree in education from DSU.



"One of you will betray me" ...Plan to celebrate Holy Week by attending the dramatization of Leonardo DaVinci's famous painting come to life, as the Disciples share their innermost thoughts in response to Jesus' words. The dramatization will be at the Canal Point United Methodist Church and the pastor and members invites the community to attend "The Living Last Supper" on Thursday, March 31, at 7:30 p.m.

Jacks getting student teacher education at DSU



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Lester B. Baird
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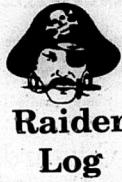
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Glades Central Community



From a golf ball drop to an Easter egg hunt, almost anything goes at Glades Day School's annual Spring Fling this Saturday, March 26.

The day will be filled with games, food, volleyball and tennis tournaments, softball home-run derby, a "silent" auction and drawings, all to benefit the school's general fund.

Parents and students wanting to replenish their photo albums may w/ by 10 a.m. The yearbook staff will be selling pic-



The Safety Patrol came back from Washington, D.C. with many adventures to share. Mr. Bonner, Mrs. Lopez and Mrs. Collins were excited to take such a well behaved group to our nation's capital.

There will be an early dismissal March 23 to continue improvement of teaching strategies and collaboration. Students will be dismissed at noon.

The Tots Club will sponsor a flea market March 26 from 6:30 a.m. until noon. Booths are \$10. Everyone is welcome to sell and shop.

Career Week was a great success thanks to Ms. Cheek. We would like to say a warm thanks to Palm Beach P.D., Florida Highway Patrol, Belle Glade Police, Sugar Cane Growers, Marines, Navy, Special Agent Rocky Delomico, Ken Foster, Patrick Kennedy, Officer Murray and Love, Trooper Smith, Sgt. Tyrell, Lt. Harper, Tony Odom, Tina Rongoni, Hattie Barnett, Iris Tanner, Judge Miller, Doug Fulton, Corp. Harris, Norman Harrison, Jerry Arlene, Sgt. Ullman, Richard Lopez (Mrs. Lopez's husband), and Miriam Hollen who works with Glades General Hospital.

Congratulations to our Special Olympic Athletes for their participation in the Country Games. Our athletes placed from first to fourth place.

Ryan Williams, 4x400-1st softball throw-4th) 400 m-1st;

Harrinette Jessie, 4x100-1st; 100 m-1st;

Jacqueline Moore, 4x100-1st, 100 m-1st;

Gernisha Kyles, softball throw-3rd, 800 m-2nd;

High School selected their Students of the Week for March 14-18. They are: Seniors: Thomas Stinson and Yolanda Benjamin; Juniors: Michele Raymond and Kimberley Rowley; Sophomores: Ozzie Charles and Natasha Sandiford; and, Freshmen: Malcolm Miles and Reyna Perez.

The Glades Central Singing Raiders performed at the Palm Beach County District Choral Festival on Friday. The group received an

excellent rating as a result of their performance.

Although the rating wasn't enough to qualify for the state festival, the group should be commended for a job well done.

Homework hotline has two new teachers to assist Spanish-speaking and Creole-speaking students with their homework. Please feel free to call 1-800-548-0245 Monday through Thursday, from 5-7 p.m. Let us help you with your homework needs!

tickets for 50 cents each in Room 4 from 10-11:30 a.m. and again from 1-2:30 p.m.

Game booths include a basketball shoot, cake walk, gold fish toss (no, the goldfish aren't thrown), bean bag toss,cola pitch, jailhouse and muckers. A new item this year is the "Treasure Chest", sponsored by the seventh grade. Chances to open the chest may be bought for \$1 each and participants may get lucky prizes ranging from cash and savings bonds to jewelry and gift certificates. Top prizes are SeaEscape Cruises for two to Nowhere offered by SeaEscape Cruises.

Gator BINGO will be from 1-4 p.m. Besides the auction for cakes and specialty goodies, the elementary is sponsoring a "Just Desserts" for those with a craving for sweets may satisfy their sweet tooth.

The Kiss the Pig Contest,

Matthew Laidler, 4x100-1st, running long jump-1st, 200 m-1st;

Jessie Perez, 4x400-1st, softball, 4th, 100 m-1st, running long jump, 2nd;

Arkevius Jones, softball-1st, 4x400-4th;

Cecil, softball throw-3rd, 800 m walk-2nd;

Atticus Jones, 25m-1st, 50 m-2nd, softball throw-3rd;

Elouine Michel, 25m-1st, 50 m-1st, softball throw-4th, 4x400-1st;

Willie Curtis, 800 m-1st, softball throw-4th, 4x400-1st;

Ricky Lewis, 25 m-1st, softball, 2nd, 50 m-1st;

Rosa Monroy, 800 m walk-1st, 400 m walk, 1st, softball throw,

which has been running for several weeks, will lose at 4:30 p.m. with the winners (?) playing a big smooth on the porker.

The day will come to close with a drawing for a 1994 Sea Dogwatercraft, complete with trailer. Only 500 tickets, priced at \$5 each are being sold. The last ticket will be declared the winner. A few tickets are still available. Anyone interested in purchasing one may contact the high school at 996-6769.

Gun enthusiasts may be interested in owning a Winchester Model 14 gauge shotgun may buy a \$2 ticket for the drawing to be held Saturday afternoon.

Barbecue lovers take note. Glades Day is sponsoring a barbecue dinner to be held from 5-7 p.m. Friday evening in conjunction with Spring Fling. Tickets are \$6 each.

2nd;

Sammuel Felton, softball throw-1st, 50 m-2nd, 25 m-2nd;

Natasha Lawrence, 100m-2nd, running long jump, 2nd, 4x100-1st;

* A special thanks to the following persons for coming out to show their support: Michael Cavanaugh, Diana Seide and Mr. and Mrs. Zaval. Also, Coach Dawkins appreciates their help with the most successful team in the history of Gove.

After Easter, we will be having Jump Rope for Heart at Gove. This event will help the American Heart Association. It is a fun event because it helps a good cause and helps to keep us fit.

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Well, it's countdown for Spring Break! Seven days from today and we'll be sleeping and sunning! April 1-10 will be our Spring Break this year. After we return, it'll be countdown for the school year. The seniors will only have 25 days left for school. Where has the year gone?

The baseball and softball teams continue their season with exciting games. The girls lost two close ones last week. They just keep improving! They'll be playing three games this week, travelling to Clewiston Tuesday, Lake Worth Christian at home today at 4 p.m., and they'll travel to Immokalee tomorrow. Good luck ladies!

The baseball team played St. Edwards on

Monday. Today they play the King's Academy at 4 p.m. and Moore Haven tomorrow at 4 p.m., all at Pioneer Park. Good luck Crusaders!

Yesterday was D-Day for some of our students. Report cards went home! There is some good news students: report cards will only come out one more time this year.

Be sure to mark on your calendars the Robin and Friends Concert at the First Baptist Church on Saturday night. Miss Waggoner always puts on a first-rate concert. So y'all come!

Looking a little ahead, next week will be the Crusader Field Day. The class challenge is already heating up. Will it be the seniors or the juniors that will take the day? Will there be a teacher upset of the student champs? We'll find out next Thursday.

The junior class will provide lunch and goodies throughout the day.

Until next week, "See Ya!"

CRUSADER

AIDS Coalition plans banquet

The AIDS Coalition of the Glades will host its Seventh Annual Banquet at the Belle Glade Municipal Civic Center, 725 N.W. Fourth St., April 30 beginning at 6:30 p.m. at which time dinner will be served from 7:30-8 p.m.

The guest speaker for the evening will be Freddie Stubbins Jefferson, editorial columnist for the Palm Beach Post.

Tickets for the banquet are available. For more information, please call Sandra Daniels at 996-8515.

If you cannot attend the affair, contributions will be accepted.

The theme for this year is "Sharing the Dream of Universal Hope".

Piano students present recital

Piano students of Karen Corbin, Janie Harville and Rebecca Watson presented their annual Spring piano recital Sunday, March 20, at Church of Jesus Christ Latter Day Saints.

Students performing in the program were Natalie and Kelly Alvarez, Brittany Meeks, Courtney and Josh Braddock, Jeffrey Woodham, Peggy Altman, William and Eleanor Campbell, Jennifer McMillan, Billy, Ronald and David Rimes, Krystal Usher, Luc, Monara and Moma St. Hilaire, Johnathan and Robert Fincannon, Sandy Cesaire, Larry Coonfare, Denise Penuel, Donna Dixon, Lindsay Bennett, Don Salvatore, Emily Watson and Melody Browning.

Beth Fincannon also performed a solo.

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Glades Central Girls Track Team places first in invitational

Friday, March 18, the Lady Raiders Track Team scored 121 points to win the 13th Annual Burger King Invitational to down Wellington, 70.5 points; PJP, 69.5 points; and, Clewiston and Dwyer.

Leading the way for the Raiders were:
Shot - Theresa Thicklin, 1st; Daplong Parke, 2nd; **Discus** - Daplong Parke, 5th; Theresa Thicklin, 6th; **Long Jump** - Young

Jachim, 1st; Tiphony McKenzie, 3rd; Temeka Butler, 6th; **Triple Jump** - Young

Jachim, 1st; Daplong Parke, 3rd

High Jump - Young

Jachim, 1st; Tiphony McKenzie, 2nd; **100 m Hurdles** - Young

Thicklin, 1st; Temeka Butler, 2nd

100 meters - Christie Parké, 4th; Theresa Thicklin, 6th

300 Meter Hurdles - Young

Jachim, 1st; Triplony McKenzie, 3rd

800 Meter - Tokelia Padgett, 1st; **200 Meter** - Christie Parké, 2nd; **Tonesa Forbes**, 5th; **Mile Relay** - 2nd with, Butler and Forbes



Kevius Hodges was honored recently at a school board meeting because he is the State Champion in the 130 weight class wrestling. He is shown (left to right) Kevius Hodges, Assistant Coach Jerry Seymour, Dr. Monica Ulhorn, and Head Wrestling Coach Frank Laagna.

The personal property of the estate of Dean Jones will be sold at a public auction on April 5 at 10 a.m., at the City of Belle Glade, Civic Center, 725 N.W. 4th Street, Belle Glade, Florida.

Goods to be auctioned will be available for inspection at the above address at 9:30 a.m. on the date of sale.

Items to be sold include:

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Earl Meredith, auctioneer

Glades Wrestling Club competes in contests

The Glades Wrestling Club traveled to Lake Worth High School recently for competition.

Competing in the 85 lb. division was Benson Corstant and Brandon Lamb. Benson placed first while Brandon placed second. Benson is a student at Belle Glade Elementary. Brandon is a student at Gove Elementary.

In the 110 lb. division, Brent Lamb competed. He placed in second.

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Sylvia McGrit to wed Lonnie Edwards

Fannie Mae Rountree of Sowainboro, Ga. announces the engagement of her daughter, Sylvia Rountree McGrit of Belle Glade, to Lonnie Charles Edwards of Belle Glade.

The prospective groom is the son of Annie B. Williams of Clearwater.

The bride-elect is a native

Mile - Tokelia Padgett 1st
4x100 Relay - 1st with Butler, Thicklin, Parkes C. and Gillespie

300 meter - Tenesa Forbes, 2nd

300 Meter Hurdles - Young

Jachim, 1st; Triplony McKenzie, 3rd

800 Meter - Tokelia Padgett, 1st

200 Meter - Christie Parke, 2nd; Tenesa Forbes, 5th

Mile Relay - 2nd with, Butler and Forbes

attended Glades Central High School. He is the owner of Edwards Grocery, Belle Glade. He is a member of the Belle Glade Golf Club.

The couple plan a June 11, 1994 double-ring ceremony at St. Paul Church of God, 915 W. Avenue A, at 5 p.m. Rev. Clarence Brown will unite the couple in matrimony.

Festival

Jordans (sneakers)." He went on to tell youths to believe in who they are. Throughout the entire day there were different als that took the bandstand and exhibited their talents.

An art exhibit was on display at the Lake Shore Civic Center from noon until 5 p.m. Lake Shore

Middle placed first, Pahokee Middle/Senior High placed second, School of Choice placed third, and Rosenwald Elem. placed fourth. Honorable mention went to Gove Elem.

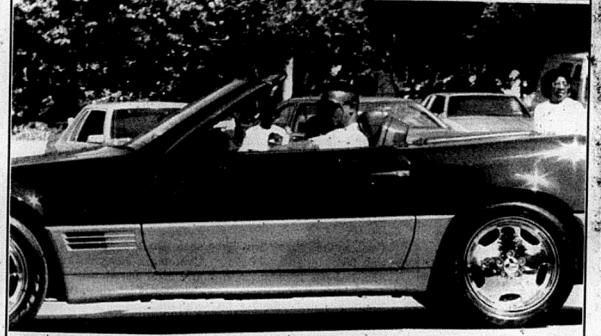
Henley Rulledge was the chairperson for the festival. Mary Evans was the co-chairperson.

Jessie Terry was the chairperson for the pageant. She was assisted by Sheila Johnson.

The coordinators for the art exhibit were Mary Jackson, Clarise Davis and Winifred Tolbert.

Mary Jackson is the president of the Zeta Phi Beta Sorority.

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Queens named in the Afro Arts pageant

Tammy Jackson
Staff Reporter

Ten youths participated in the Afro Arts Pageant held in the Lake Shore Middle School Gymnasium.

The contestants were:

• Johnna N. Perry, 7. She attends Pahokee Elementary, and the daughter of John and Gail Perry.

• Robyn Harriston, 8. Robyn

attends Glades View Elementary and she is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Harriston;

• Kari Jeanlouis, 9. Kari attends King's Academy, West Palm Beach. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Jeanlouis;

• Daphney C. Jackson, 9. Daphney attends Glades View Elem. She is the daughter of Warren Robinson and Tammy

Jackson; • Yvonne Jasper, 9. Yvonne attends Glades View Elem. She is the daughter of Patricia McDonald;

• Tonisha Johnson, 10. Tonisha is the daughter of Carl and Tonya Worthy. She attends Glades View Elem;

• Jacqueline Oliver, 9. Jacqueline is the daughter of Wilma Bent;

• Shameka Campbell, 10. Shameka attends Glades View. She is the daughter of Brenda McKenzie;

April Gadsen, 11. April is the daughter of Mary Oliver. She attends Glades View Elem.; and,

• Jacqueline Lane, 14. Jacqueline attends Lake Shore Middle School. She is the daughter of Bessie Jones.

Contestants were judged on poise, personality, charisma, talent and originality.

The winners were:

• Little Miss Afro Arts - Robyn Harriston.

Junior Miss Afro Arts - Tonisha Johnson.

Miss Afro Arts - Jacqueline Lane.

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Obituaries

Pandolfi

Tecla Pandolfi, 81, of Pahokee, died Saturday, March 19, 1994, at Everglades Regional Medical Center, Pahokee. A native of Rome, Italy, Mrs. Pandolfi was born Aug. 10, 1912. She had been a resident of Pahokee since moving from Fort Pierce in 1977. She was a member of the Catholic Church. She is survived by one son, Albert Pandolfi of Van Nuys, Calif.; daughter and son-in-law, Rose and Thomas Price of Pahokee;

brother, Leonard Presutti of Aemetonita, Pa.; sisters: Jean Moni of Carrick, Pa., and Rose Booth of Fort Lauderdale; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Mass of the Resurrection was held March 22, 1994, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Pahokee. Father John Mertante officiated. Interment was held at Dade Memorial Park, Opa Locka.

Arrangements were under the direction of The James A. Bennett Funeral Home.

Singletary honored at sorority banquet

On Saturday, March 19, Elsie L. Singletary was recognized and honored for services she rendered throughout the Glades area.

Mrs. Singletary received a Glades Citizen Award from the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority during their first Awards Banquet held at the Army.

She is employed by the Palm Beach County School Board as a teacher assistant at Gove Elementary School Exceptional Education classes. She is a resident of Pahokee, a member of St. James AME Church, Rev. James Rosier, Pastor. She is

married to Pahokee City Commissioner Roy Singletary and in January 1994 she received the Citizen of The Year Award by the Concerned Citizen for Community Improvement. She is socially and religiously motivated.

Mrs. Singletary is founder and secretary of the Ladies in Unity Club of Pahokee, and past president and founder of the Essence Unique Ladies Club. She recently founded and organized Ebony Elite Ladies Club where she is the president.

"To be honored by such a grand sorority on such a grand occasion is very very grand to me. It is almost unbelievable," Mrs. Singletary said.

Pahokee JROTC recruiting for next school term

The Pahokee JROTC program was noted with many activities and achievements throughout the school year.

• raised the flag at all home games and bi-monthly city council meetings;

• attended first Lake Worth in December bringing back with us Pahokee's first trophy;

• field trip to Cape Canaveral observe the live launch of the Space Shuttle Columbia, a two-day orientation to Patrick Air Force Base; competition at the Eau Gallie High School Drill Meet came away with six trophies.

• Cadet Captain Osborne noted that these accomplishments were a result of teamwork and dedicated effort by all.

• The cadet corps is planning the next trip to MacDill Air Force Base in Tampa for the Force Open House.

Senior Master Sergeant Lew, U.S. Air Force (retired) commented that Pahokee is cur-

rently in its recruiting season for the next school year. He said "we are looking for those cadets that want to be a cut above."

Sgt. Law said they have been recruiting trips to Lake Shore Middle School, Wellington Landings and Crestwood Middle School. According to Sgt. Law, cadets adhere to an honor code and proper hair cuts and Air Force grooming standards.

Sgt. Law said, "the program is built on good citizenship and respect for people, property and authority."

According to Aimee Williamson High School Guidance Counselor, the program is open to students in grades 9-10 in the Palm Beach County West Area.

Transportation will be provided. Also stressed on the JROTC program's scholarships and the advanced rank and pay into the service directly out of high school.

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Elsie Singletary

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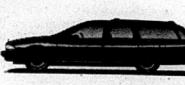


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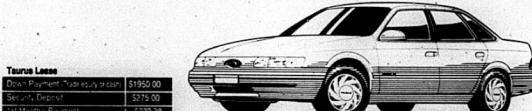
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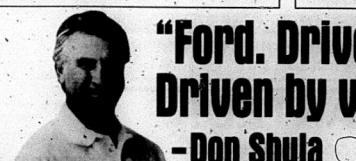


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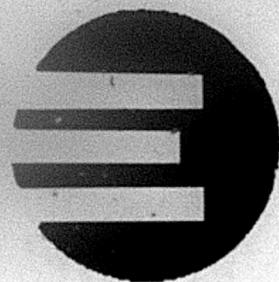
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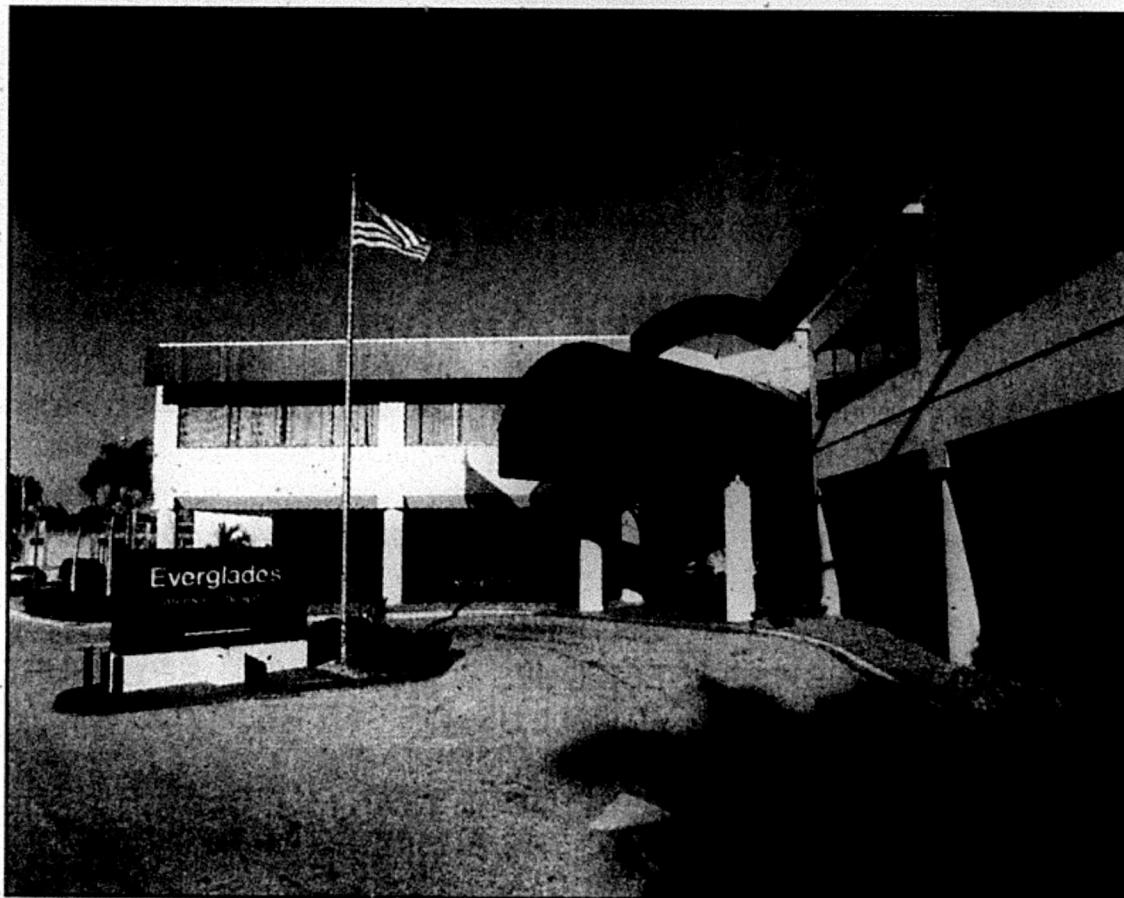
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(NAPS)—A sore throat and stuffy nose may warn that you're catching a cold. And, if you're running a temperature, you may be coming down with the flu. But, what you may not know are the warning signs of a disease that 75 percent of us are affected with: peri-

odontitis or gum disease.

Gum disease is a disease of the bone and other structures that support your teeth. If left untreated, it can progress and cause loss of the bone supporting the teeth, and eventually the affected teeth may have to be removed.



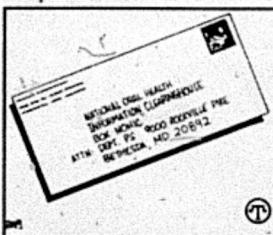
DENTAL PROGRESS FACTS FROM THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DENTAL RESEARCH

Your Oral Health: Government Offers Help

(NAPS)—A dentist is asked to treat a child with a genetic disorder that affects tooth development, or an adult with diabetes complicated by severe gum disease. Where can the dentist find information on treatment? How can the patient or family obtain information about appropriate oral health care?

For the first time, there is a central resource for these "special care" patients and the practitioners who treat them: the National Oral Health Information Clearinghouse (NOHIC), a new service of the National Institute of Dental Research, one of the Federal National Institutes of Health.

Special care patients are those who have medical or disabling conditions that lead to oral health problems. Their treatment needs often lie outside of the realm of traditional dental care. Special care patients include people with genetic disorders or systemic diseases that affect oral health, such as cleft lip and/or palate and diabetes mellitus. Special care patients also include people whose medical treatments cause oral problems, such as mouth sores or dry mouth, that often result from chemotherapy or radiation therapy for head and neck cancers, or from a variety of medications. People with mental or physical disabilities, like severe arthritis, that make good oral



A new clearinghouse acts as a central bank of information for both special care dental patients and their health care providers.

hygiene or treatment difficult also need special care.

NOHIC offers a variety of services to help patients and professionals find and obtain information. It maintains a computerized catalog that provides descriptions and ordering information for a broad array of publications and other materials. In addition, the clearinghouse collects and maintains information on key organizations and programs involved in special care and the services available from these groups. NOHIC also produces and distributes patient education materials, including fact sheets, brochures and information packets.

Free Brochures

For free brochures, information and referral to other helpful resources, write: National Oral Health Information Clearinghouse, Box NOHIC, Attn: Department PS, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20892.

March Is Skin Awareness Month

Get In Touch With Your Skin

(NAPS)—It's a good idea not to get out of touch with your skin. It's the part of your body that interacts with the world. It helps regulate your body temperature and protect you from the harmful effects of the environment such as invading bacteria and loss of moisture. It also mirrors the state of your emotional and physical health.

If you don't see a dermatologist on a regular basis, March is a good time to start. Recent studies show that sun damage begins to show much earlier than doctors have previously anticipated. The majority of those effects include wrinkling, liver spots and mottling—but doctors are also seeing skin cancers at increasingly earlier ages. For that reason, the experts at Vaseline Research recommend anyone who's been a sun worshipper, no matter what age, see a dermatologist for a thorough skin exam.

March is also Skin Awareness Month. During that month and the first two weeks of April, you can get a bundle of information to help make



Examining your skin on a regular basis can help you detect potential problems early.

you skin aware by calling 1-800-733-SKIN. Included is a booklet, called Skin Wise, which includes a guide to a step-by-step self body-check, three names of dermatologists in your area, \$8 worth of coupons towards the purchase of selected Vaseline brand products, free trial samples of new Dermasil Lotion and new Vaseline Petroleum Jelly Cream and entry into the Skin Awareness Month Sweepstakes in which consumers can win up to \$150 towards a free skin exam.

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Get A Load Off Your Feet

(NAPS)—If you're like most Americans, you probably know being overweight is no good for your heart, but you've probably never thought about what all that weight could be doing to your feet.

Fortunately, there are steps you can take to improve your weight and feet.

First of all, see your doctor. He or she can determine just how overweight you are—if you are—and what's the best way to go about improving things.

Next, see a podiatrist. This medical specialist can tell you what shape your feet are in and how to keep their health up while you're slimming down.

Many doctors recommend a diet that limits alcohol and foods such as fatty meat, thick sauces, sweets, butter and cream.

Your doctors may also suggest you exercise at least three times a week for 20 minutes or more at a time. Choose a level of activity high enough to



make you breathless, but not so violent that you get dizzy. Walking is considered an excellent exercise for your feet as well as the rest of you. Your podiatrist can help you determine what shoes are best for your exercise regimen. Just bear in mind your feet have to bear the brunt of most exercises and treat them tenderly. Running puts a force of three to four times your body weight on each foot with every step.

You can obtain further information on foot problems by telephoning 1-800-FOOT-CARE (366-8227).

You know you're getting old when the candles cost more than the cake.

—Bob Hope

Alzheimer's Update

New Toll-Free Line To Help Caregivers

(NAPS)—Manor Health-Care Corp., the nation's largest provider of care for individuals with Alzheimer's Disease, has installed a new toll-free line for family members who are currently providing care at home for loved ones with Alzheimer's Disease and are looking for care alternatives.

By calling the special toll-free number, (800) 979-CARE, caregivers will receive a free brochure which describes how to evaluate and select a specialized Dementia/Alzheimer's Disease program in their area.

Approximately ten days later, caregivers will receive a phone call from a Manor HealthCare rep-

resentative to discuss care options and how to best use the brochure.

"Most family members who are struggling to cope with Alzheimer's Disease want to care for their loved ones at home, but we know it isn't always possible," explains Joyce Simard-Taggart, M.S.W., National Director of Alzheimer's Services for Manor Health-Care. "When caregivers can no longer provide care at home or cope on their own," she added, "we want them to know there is hope and that care alternatives are available."

Manor HealthCare operates over 80 Alzheimer's special care units nationwide under the names Arcadia, Thalia and Laurel Day, which provide services and care to individuals with Alzheimer's Disease and their families.

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Today, there are an estimated ten to 15 million American adults and children suffering from asthma, a respiratory disease which blocks the airways and makes the ability to breathe more difficult.

Many physicians now believe that to halt the disturbing rise in emergency room visits and ease the many emotional and practical challenges faced by asthma patients and their families, there's a continuing need for up-to-date information on this chronic illness.

That's the reason for the creation of a new newsletter called *Air Currents*, offered free as a public service by All & Hanburys Respiratory Institute. It is an educational resource program supported by an educational grant from Allen & Hanburys, a division of Glaxo, Inc.

In addition to information the newsletter offers practical advice on how to deal with asthma and lead a healthy life.

Here from *Air Currents* are some tips on how to avoid situations which trigger an asthma attack and how to treat it once it occurs:

*Talk to your doctor about medications you can use before exposure to known but unavoidable asthma triggers such as cold, dry air, animal hairs, and shifts in the pollen season.

*Exercise is a trigger of an asthma attack in some people. Many individuals who do not normally suffer from asthma can suffer from exercise-induced asthma (EIA), as can those who have well-established asthma.

*EIA can be prevented by medication prior to exercise and most physicians now recommend exercise for their asthmatic patients for cardiovascular and overall conditioning benefits it offers.

*Remember to review and update medicine routines regularly to accommodate seasonal changes in activities and schedules. Also, as children grow, medication needs change too.

*There are three million children with asthma. They should be encouraged, under medical supervision, to participate in all activities including exercise and sports.

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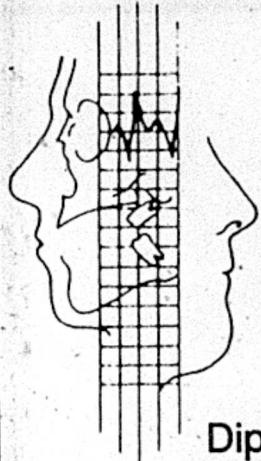
Heat illness can be divided into three basic categories: heat cramps, heat exhaustion and heat stroke. Heat cramps are characterized by muscle cramps. Often these cramps occur in the abdominal or chest muscles.

Heat exhaustion is characterized by weakness, nausea, dizziness, headache and sometimes muscle cramps. Sweating is present. There is usually no disorientation. Body temperature may be elevated but less than 104°F.

Heat stroke is characterized by loss of the ability to sweat. The skin is hot and dry. The victim is confused and may even have seizures. Body temperature is elevated to greater than 104°F.

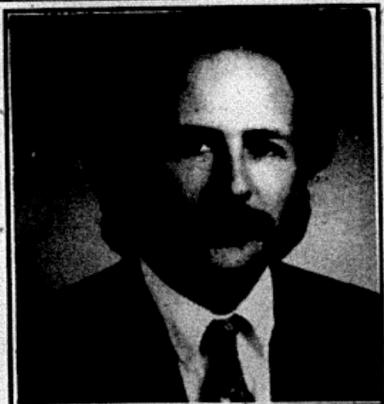
The treatment for heat illness consists of removing the victim from the hot environment and replacing the fluid and salt in the body. In addition, rapid cooling is needed for patients with heat stroke. A physician should be consulted if any form of heat illness is suspected.

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Birth Control Pills Most Popular Contraceptive

Since their introduction 30 years ago, oral contraceptives, or birth control pills, have become the most popular method of preventing pregnancy.

Aside from sterilization and the new contraceptive implants, oral contraceptives are the most effective means of birth control. The pills can work several different ways, either by inhibiting ovulation, inhibiting egg implantation or preventing sperm penetration.

Before prescribing oral contraceptives, the doctor needs to get certain vital information from the woman, including her menstrual history, previous medical problems and family medical history. Particular attention is paid to any incidence of diabetes, cardiovascular disease or cancer of the reproductive system.

This information helps the doctor determine if the patient is at risk by using oral contraceptives. Once any risks have been ruled out, the doctor

will choose the pill formulation that is right for the patient.

As with any medication, the patient's pharmacist can provide additional advice and information to supplement the doctor's instructions. The neighborhood pharmacist is always accessible should the patient have questions after starting the prescription, according to NARD, the national association representing independent retail pharmacy.

When You Miss A Pill

All oral contraceptives should be taken daily. Missing one pill is not a major cause for concern.

The patient should just take it as soon as she remembers. It is best to take two pills at least six hours apart to minimize nausea which is common when two pills are taken simultaneously.

If two pills are missed, the patient should take two pills twice a day for two days and use a backup method of contraception for the rest of her

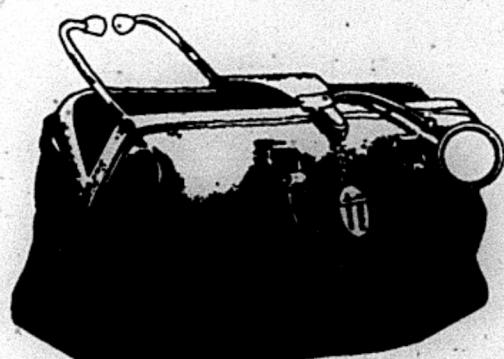
menstrual cycle. If three or more pills are missed, the patient should call her doctor or pharmacist because the possibility of ovulation and bleeding increases with each pill missed.

Although oral contraceptives are safe when used as prescribed, side effects are common. Most are minor and short-lived. They may include nausea, vomiting, breast tenderness, and vaginal bleeding or spotting. These side effects usually occur during the first 28-day cycle of use and disappear by the third or fourth cycle. Fluid retention and weight gain may also occur.

It is important for patients to understand that many different oral contraceptive formulations are available, and an estimated 80 percent of all women should be able to take birth control pills without noticeable side effects after the third cycle of use.

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Glades General Hospital is a full - service acute care facility serving all the residents of the south Lake Okeechobee area. Glades General has been in operation at the same location for over 50 years and is accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations.

Glades General is equipped and staffed to provide care for a wide variety of cases. Our Level 3 emergency room provides 24-hour, physician staffed care with access to the Trauma Hawk just steps away. Our Critical Care Unit is fully equipped to provide quality care for cardiac, renal and other serious medical problems. We also offer both inpatient and same day surgical services.

The newest addition to Glades General's menu of services is Maternity and OB services. Now, expectant mothers can obtain the complete range of Maternity services from pre-natal care to delivery right here at Glades General Hospital. Our Radiology Department is also undergoing a complete renovation that, when completed, will enable Glades General to provide diagnostic imaging procedures that until now were not available in the Glades area.

Glades General Hospital has a full range of outpatient services as well including our Clinical Laboratory, Physical, Occupational and Respiratory Therapy, Mammography, and the only on-site MRI service in the Glades area.

The highly qualified physicians on our medical staff provide a wide range of services including Emergency Medicine, General and Vascular Surgery, Family Medicine, Pediatrics, Cardiology, Gynecology, Orthopedics, Nephrology and Pulmonology. The Hospital also provides a free physician referral service by calling (407) 996-6571, extension 446 to help you select a Physician.

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- One out of every 10 American women will develop breast cancer in her lifetime.

- Breast cancer can occur without any warning signs, and more than 80% of breast lumps are not cancerous.

- If breast cancer is diagnosed and treated early, the five - year survival rate is more than 90%.

- Modern mammography can reveal small breast cancers up to two years before they can be felt.

There is no need to be afraid to learn about breast cancer. The facts are encouraging and reassuring. If you remember only one thing about breast cancer, it should be this: Your best protection is early detection. Early detection provides the best opportunity to treat breast

cancer successfully, and a diagnosis may not mean removal of the breast. Doctors recommend this three-step early detection program:

Schedule regular mammograms-your first screening mammogram by age 40, one every year or two to age 49, and every year after 50.

Practice monthly breast self-examination-your doctor can show you the proper method.

See your doctor for regular breast examinations-at least every year until age 40, then every year.

Benefits of quitting smoking

If you or a friend have thought about quitting smoking, here's some good news: It's never too late to quit. Consider these facts:

Smoking is the major cause of cancer deaths in the United States. It leads to nearly all cases of lung cancer and is a major cause of cancers of the mouth, larynx (voice box), esophagus (food tube), bladder, kidney, and pancreas.

Smoking can be particularly risky for older Americans. Many have smoked for a long time—an average of 45 years. Fortunately, older is often wiser when it comes to quitting. Older smokers are more likely to succeed. Of those older smokers who quit, nine out of ten do so on their own or with the help of booklets and programs they use on their own.

Nobody ever said quitting was easy, but it can be done. Here are some of the reasons to do it:

Your health: Twelve hours after you cut out that last cigarette, your body begins to heal itself. You will begin to breathe easier and your sense of smell and taste will improve. In ten years, your risk of death from smoking is nearly the same as that for a person who has never smoked.

Your family's health: The smoke from your cigarettes puts your children and grandchildren at risk of developing pneumonia and bronchitis. It also aggravates asthma. If your spouse is a non-smoker, his or her risk of getting lung cancer doubles if you smoke heavily.

Your pocketbook: Cigarettes are expensive, and so is health care. You can save on both if you quit.

All in all, if you're a smoker, quitting is the single best thing you can do to protect yourself against cancer. Over 40 million Americans have done it. You can too!

How Do I Quit?

Remember, most people do quit smoking on their own. Your doctor or pharmacist can help you get started. Or, call the Cancer Information Service at 1-800-4-CANCER for advice and a free booklet of tips to quit. It's a free call.

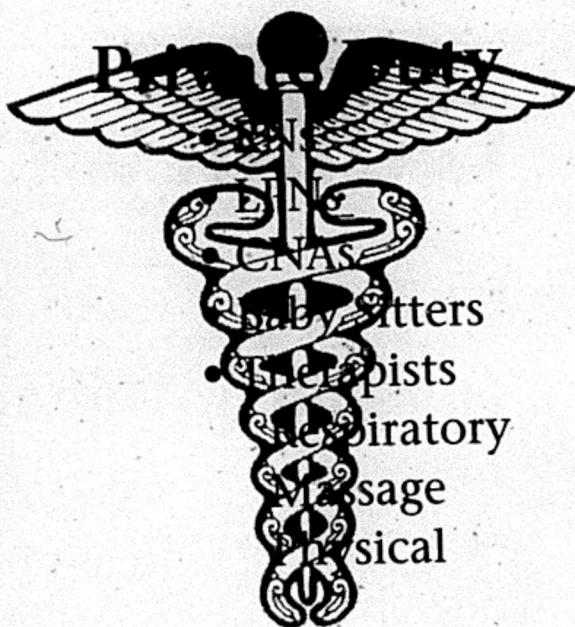
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Cigarette smoking is responsible for 85 percent of lung cancer among men, reports the American Cancer Society.

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Obstetrics

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Presbyopia occurs as we age when the lens of the eye becomes less flexible and less able to accommodate a clear focus in mid-to-close distances. According to Dr. Jack Weber, Marchon & Marcolin's Director of Education and Research, the solution is to wear reading glasses or bi-focals.

Until recently reading glasses implied a stigma of old-age. They were never youthful or stylish.

All that has changed say the experts at Marchon & Marcolin. Reading glasses, or half-eyes as they are called in the eyewear industry, tend to be bolder, more colorful and much more fun to wear. Today, reading glasses are available in cherry-red, emerald green, grape, turquoise and metallic blue, besides the usual tortoise and grays.

"The psychological impact of wearing reading glasses can be diminished," says Dr. Weber, "if you keep several

pair that are color and style appropriate for the many facets of your life." He suggests investigating new eyewear materials and combinations of metal and plastic that can lend an air of authority, an image of elegance or a look that is just plain fun.

CFG halfeyes are available in fourteen unusual colors. CFGs are made from carbon fiber graphite, the lightweight and sturdy material in golf clubs and tennis rackets. A new material called Flexon makes bendable, twistable, tamper-proof eyeglass frames. For elegant dinner engagements, Marcolin eyewear has created reading glasses styled with glitter and gold.

Dr. Weber adds, "Why think of presbyopia as a traumatic experience, when eyewear has become an important fashion accessory. Take advantage of chic fashion choices and make reading glasses fun to wear."

YOU AND YOUR EYES

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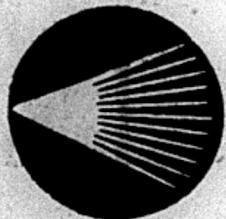
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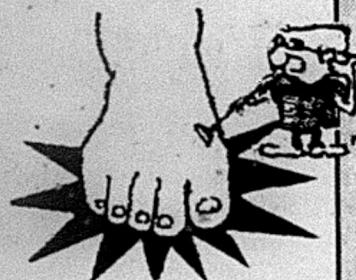
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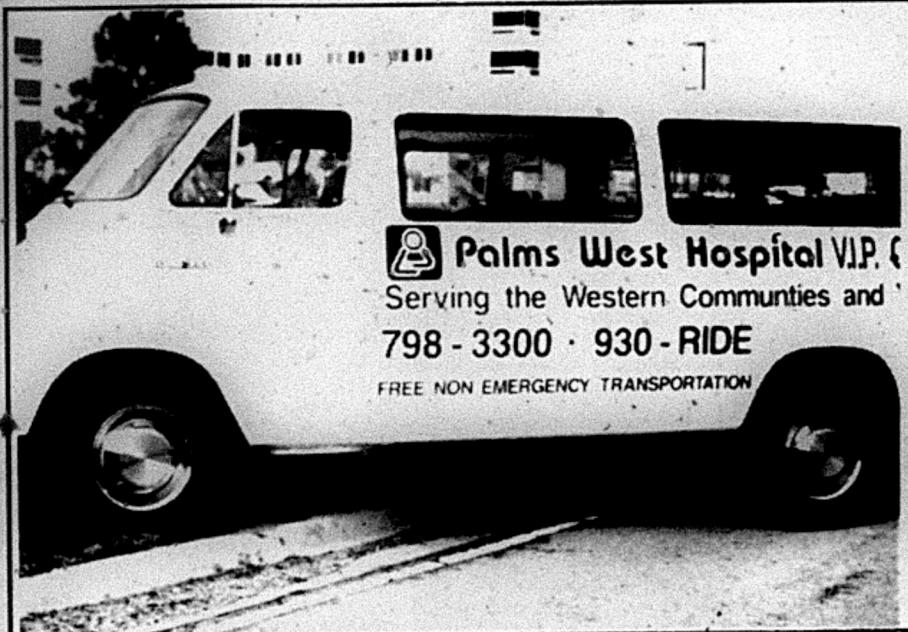
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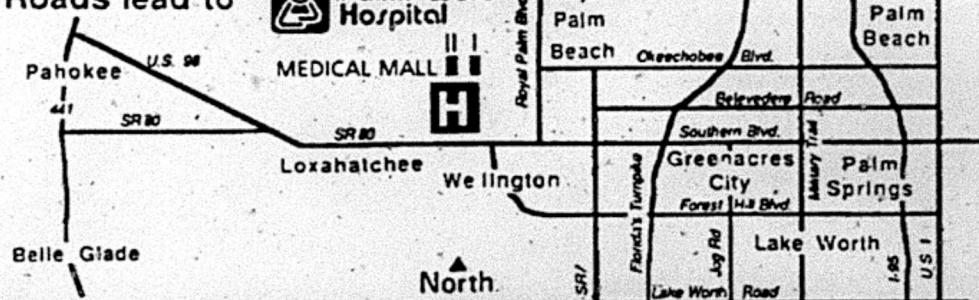
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